"The activity noted at the date of our last reference has con tinued in a fair degree through the period now under review, though restricted as regards some articles by limited supplies. Operations of a speculative nature, and of considerable magni-tude have occurred, giving an impulse to certain leading staples, which had been in little request at the hands of importers for

This activity has been caused in part by the new tariff which went into operation on the 1st. We quote rates of our princicipal staple products current at latest dates in San Francisco. SCGAR-Sales of prime quality S. I. on the 14th, at 14c. This has become a favorite article.

PULU .- Dull at Sc. Rice.-Market firm and advancing. Peruvian 11tc, sales of Sandwich Island cleaned ex Speedwell at 12; @ 13c., which is Yet so it is, -grief and sorrow have seized the a better rate than hitherte obtained. 45 bbls. Carolina sold for 12 @ 12ic. per fb.

FLOUR .- \$7 to \$8 per 200 fbs. According to the latest New York advices, gold was quoted there at 13] per cent premium, and showing no disposition to

The Speedwell arrived over on the 7th, and would Honolulu about the close of the month. The Flying Eagle was to sail on the 17th, to touch at Honolulu, and will bring us two or three days later news.

Moon's Phases at Honolulu, in August. ## dy. h. m. dy. h.

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LATEST DATES, received at this Office. San Francisco...... Aug. 14 | London, (papers) .... July 1 New York, (papers)...July 12 "telegraphic ..Aug. 13 Hongkong.........May 1 Tahiti .......May 12 Sydney, N. S. W.,....Jan. 1

Ships' Mails.

FOR SAN PRANCISCO-per Yankee, early in September. FOR KONA-per Steamer on Monday next.

PORT OF HONOLULU, H. I.

ARRIVALS. Aug. 21-Sch Emma Rooke, Wetherby, from Hanalei. Passer gers-Miss Clara Armstrong, Chas Cooke, Capt

Candage, and 10 deck passengers.

21—Sch Nettie Merrill, Borres, from Hilo and Lahaina, with 250 kegs sugar, 48 bales pulu, 12 bags fungus, 25 hides. Passengers—2 Misses Dimond, John T Waterhouse, junn., C K Clark, and 40 natives on 21 Sloop Louiza, from Kahoolawe, with 41 bags wool and

12 sheep.
22-H. B. M.'s steamer Termagant, 25 guns, Capt. Robt Hall, 42 days from Panama. 22-Sch Kamehameha IV, Morse, from Hanalei, with 68 kegs and 50 mats sugar, 4 hides, 1 bri tallow, 1 horse, 9 cords wood, and 3 passengers.

24—Am ship George Washington, Anderson, 27 days from Puget Sound, bound to Adelaide, W. Australia, with lumber; thence to Newcastle, where she will

load coal for San Francisco. Touched here for supplies, and sailed again same day. h Manuokawai, Henry, from Lahaina and Lanai, with 672 goat skins, let hides, 7 brls potatoes, 130 turkeys, 22 sheep, 5 goats, 60 bags wheat and corn, 2 brls tallow—2 cabin and 11 deck passengers.

17—Sch Moikeike, Napela, from Kahului, with a large atity of wheat-4 cabin and 4 deck passengers

24-Haw sloop Louisa, King, 24 days from Palmyra Island. 25-Hanov, bark Osnabruck, Seetzen, 22 days from Puget Sound, bound to Shanghae with lumber, anchored outside. Touched for provisions, and sailed again 25—Sch Moiwahine, Kuheana, fm Hanalei and Nawiliwili, with 100 bags paddy, 1 horse, 5 pigs, 16 cds wood—2 cabin and 16 deck passengers.

26—Am clipper ship War Hawk, Simmons, 11; days from San Francisco, with U. S. mails, en route for China.

27 -Sch Emma Rooke, Wetherby, from Lahaina, with bags fungus, 30 bides, 1 horse, 6 sheep, 8 pigs, to of sugar and molasses, and a large quantity of native produce. Passengers—Mrs Fanny Young W W Hall, Henry Thompson, 2 Misses and Maste Thompson, and 70 deck passengers.

27—Am brig Curlew, Chapman, 14 days from San Francisco, en route for Manila. Lying off and on.

PETAKIEREN.

Ang. 22-Sch Kalama, Clark, for Nawillwill, Kolea & Waime 22-Sch Emma Rooke, Wetherby, for Lahaina & Makee 23-Sch Nettie Merrill, Borres, for Lahaina and Hilo. 25-Steamer Kilauea, Berrill, for Lahaina, Kona and other windward ports.

25—Sch Manuokawai, Henry, for Hana and Kawaihae.

25—Sch Moikeiki, Napela, for Kabului.

26-H. B. M.'s steamer Charybdis, Hon. Geo. D. Kear 27-Sch Moiwahine, Kuheana, for Nawiliwili, Kolca an

27-Sch Emma Rooke, Wetherby for Lahaina and Makee's

## MEMORANDA.

Arrivals of Whalers at the Port of Taleahuano, 1862. (Reported for the Commercial Advertiser.)

Jan. 13-Ship General Pike, Fisher; sailed for the North 18-Ship Camden, Mudgett, of New York; sailed for California. 20-Bark Clarice, Brown : sailed for home. 23-Ship Chandler Price, Holcomb; sailed for home. 24—Bark Maria, Thompson.
3— "Lucy Ann, Townsend, from Newport, R. I., for

8-Bark Ripple, Morgan, 80 sp; sailed to cruise. 17— " Smyrna, West, 220 sp. 17—Ship Harriet Erving, Manning, from Caldera; took in wool, and sailed for Bostor 17-Chilian sch Porcia, Reed, 250 sp and 200 wh, 9 mos out ; in port. 17-Ship Crest of the Wave, Watts; took in wool

Tome, for home. 20—Bark Vigilant, Cole, 250 sp since leaving Paita.

Morning Light, Luce, 650 sp and 450 wh. 25- " Morning Star, Norton, 1200 sp, 55 months out 26-Bark Montgomery, Crapo, 300 sp, 75 wh, all told March 2-Chilian brig Eulalia, Bowen, 600 wh; in port. 4-Bark Matthew Luce, Cleveland, 700 sp; to cruise.

7-Ship Europa, Manter, 200 sp. 1800 wh, all told; let Valparaiso for home, after being repaired there. 10-Bark E. C. Cowden, W. Cleveland, 80 sp; to cruis 10- " Charles & Edward, Gifford, 300 sp, all told 13-Ship Mary & Susan, P. Howland, 1100 sp, 18 me

15-Bark Norman, Luce, 100 sp ; to cruise. 15—Ship Susan Fitzgerald, from Bultimore; sailed Valparaiso with assorted cargo.
16—Bark Norman, Gibbs, 200 sp, 10 wh; to cruise. 16-Ship Julian, Dodge, nothing since leaving San Francisco-bound home. 20 Ship Arnolda, Crowell, 500 sp on board, 300 sp seas.

20-Bark Samuel & Thomas, Hoxie, 30 sp, season. 21- " Osecola, Hamblin, 1550 sp, all told. She loss a boat's crew, for which she searched 10 days. They were picked up by a French bark, after bein days in the boat, and afterwards put on boar

26-Bark Sappho, Coffin, 770 sp. 37 wh, on board.

26-Bark Matilda Sears, Howland, 450 sp, 14 wh, do. 27-Ship John Cogreshall, Dean, 1506 wh, all told; t

VESSELS IN PORT-AUGUST 28.

H. B. M.'s steamer Termagant, Capt. Robert Hall. Am bark Yankee, Taylor, for San Francisco. Haw, bark Kathleen, Marchant, for Victoria, V. I. Am sch J. B. Ford, Pinney.

Vessels Expected from Foreign Ports.

Am bark Speedwell, Paty, to leave San Francisco about Augus

25-due here from 6th to 10th September Am clipper ship Flying Eagle, en route for Hongkong—due.

Am. ship Raduga, Burditt. sailed from Boston June 18, with a cargo of assorted mase. to C. Brewer & Co.

Am. ship Eric, Jernegan, sailed from New Bedford May 15, with

a full cargo of assorted moise, to Wilcox, Richards & Co.
Haw schooner Liboliho, Bush, from Phoenix Island—overdue.
Dutch ship Galilei, Koch, from London about April 15, with
asstd. cargo to Janion, Green & Co. Hamburg bark Laura & Louise, Marks, to sail from Hamburg May 1, with moise to Messrs. Hackfeld & Co. Oldenb'g bark Sylphide, Hoegemann, to sail from Bremen about May 1, with merchandise to Melchers & Co.

Bremen bark Pauline, to leave Bremen April 10 to 15 with assid cargo to Hoffschlager & Stapenhorst. Haw wh brig Wailus, Lass, from a cruise among the Caroline

## PASSENGERS.

Por Windward Ports—per Kilagea, August 25—Mrs C C Barris, Dr J M Smith and wife, Miss Waterhouse, J S Low, G B Farnam, W S Egerton, J S Butler, John Webster, Ashford Spencer, Mr Ako-11 cabin and about 200 deck passengers.

The Flying Eagle was to have sailed from San Francisco on the 17th or 18th, and may bring us two days later news. After her we know of no vessel from thence likely to arrive here till the and the public will be admitted to view them from respect the exclusion of several members of that Our House in sorrow. He is the Son of the Na-Speedwell, due Sept. 8 to 10th.

### THE PACIFIC Commercial Advertiser.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 28.

# Death of His Royal Highness, The Prince of Hawaii.

It becomes our painful duty to announce the death of the young Prince of Hawaii, who expired at the Palace on Wednesday morning at o'clock. We did not dream when we penned for our last issue the notice of his indisposition, that this would convey the announcement of his death. royal household, and will be participated in by every person in the Kingdom.

The Prince was born on the 20th of May, 1858, and was consequently 4 years, 3 months and seven days of age when he died. He early developed an unusual forwardness, which made him a favorite with his parents, who almost idolized him, and with all who became acquainted with him. As he grew older, the winning traits which he began to develope, naturally drew out to him a strong attachment and love from all who knew him, which showed itself whenever he appeared in public, where he was nvariably an object of special attraction. H has generally enjoyed very good health and shown no symptoms of disease of any kind, till the at tack which occurred on the 18th, and which i thought to have been inflammation of the brain or water on the brain, a very common disease among children. The malady made rapid progress, and n the course of four days it became evident that it would terminate in death.

On Saturday, at 10, A. M., the child was baptized by Rev. E. W. Clark, according to the Episcopal form, in the presence of the King's household, cabinet and chiefs, and named ALBERT EDWARD KAUIKEOULI LEIOPAPA A KAMEHAMEHA. Mrs. Synge, the lady of the British Commissioner, standing as sponsor for Queen Victoria of England Mr. Synge, for the Prince of Wales. Great satsfaction has been expressed with the baptism of the Prince. It was the purpose of the King to have the ceremony performed by Bishop Stalev but his non-arrival and the sickness and death of the child frustrated the long proposed plan.

During his illness, the greatest interest has been manifested by the public to learn the exact state of his health, and bulletins were daily issued. The nature of the disease was such that the little patient suffered the most intense agony during his illness, which exhibited itself in spasms, cramps and shricks, which no treatment could alleviate. On the morning of his death, however, the pain subsided, and the child became calm and his countenance the image of sweetness and heavenly radiance. The King and Queen, broken down with grief, stood by the couch of their dying boy, and with them Mrs. Bishop, Miss Paki, Mr. Wyllie, and some others. Seeing that the child was dying, His Majesty took the prayer-book and requested Mr. Wyllie to read the prayer appropriate for the occasion. This scene, as the royal group knelt at the death-bed or the child, and joined in supplications to their Almighty Father, while the infant spirit peacefully left the body and winged its flight to its Creator, was one which can better be imagin-

The booming minute cannon, tolling bells and half-raised flags announced, at 84 o'clock, to the anxious public that the Prince was dead, and the grief of the native population immediately exhibited itself in various ways.

Thus has closed in one short week an event entirely unlooked for, which has sent a pall of gloom into the palace, plucking the chosen flower from the bosoms of the King and Queen, and destroying the fond hopes of the nation. The death of no other person could have been so severe a blow to the King and his people as that of the PRINCE OF HAWAII. In this youthful scion were centered the hopes of his parents, and to him the eyes of the whole nation turned as the prospective ruler of Hawaii. In him, all the plans of His Majesty appeared to center-he was the idol of all. But these plans are prematurely destroyed, all these fond hopes are crushed by an over-ruling Providence, inscrutible, wise and good, "whose ways are not as our ways, and whose thoughts are not as our thoughts." To His supreme will let us all bow, and acknowledge that He is the Sovereign of all, and the Ruler of the Universe. How true it is that "man proposes, but God disposes."

Most devoutly do we pray that this heavy afflic tion may be accompanied with its blessings, not only to the broken hearts of the bereaved royal parents, who have watched over their child with devotion which has never been surpassed, but to the whole nation. What parent, who ha ever been called on to yield up to the summons of death, his idolized child, can fail to sympathize with our afflicted sovereigns, or fail to offer up a prayer in their behalf, that this blow may b sanctified to their temporal and spiritual happiness, and to the good of their people. We feel that they have the deepest sympathy of all in this trial of the death of one so dear to the whole

God thought it best to take him hence, Or else he'd not have died-Remember 'twas an all-good God Who took him from your side. Weep not for him who in life's morn Hath from your circle fled ; He was too fair and good for earth, Then why should tears be shed.

It seems as if Providence had selected this very ime for this sad event, for some wise purpose. which may not be clear to us now, but of which the future may develope the meaning. Why it should have happened just at this juncture, when more than usual political feeling has been existing, when His Majesty was without a regular Cabinet, and just about the period which had been set for the arrival of Bishop Staley and the baptism of the Prince with full ceremonies, may appear inexplicable. Had it occurred a few months earlier or even a few months later, it might not have been accompanied with so many circumstances indicating that Providence has some wise end in view.

There has been as yet no appointment of a ne ministry, nor could the public well expect one to b made during such an unlooked for event, as has just occurred. In due time the appointment will be an-

The remains of His Royal Highness the Prince f Hawaii will be laid in state to-day at the Palace, Adjournment of the Legislature.

THE LEGISLATURE finally adjourned on Satur day, the 23d, His Majesty's Address having been read at 12 M. in the hall of the Nobles, where both Houses were assembled, and besides them quite a large audience. The address, which will be found below, was read in Hawaiian by His Ex. M. Kekuanaoa, Governor of Oahu, and in English by His Honor ELISHA H. ALLEN, Chancellor of the Kingdom. It has been well received and spoken of by all. Its tone is cordial, and it is all that could be desired for the occasion. Th first paragraph may perhaps indicate that th Legislature might have done more, or have ap proved more of the measures brought before for consideration. The last betrays the burdened mind with which it was penned, a burden in which we can truly say our Sovereign has the deep and heartfelt sympathy of all his people.

The session being now closed, it may not be amiss to cast a glance over the work done. It sat 97 days, being a few more than is usual; the session of 1860 occupied 80 days. The number of laws passed this year is, however, fewer than for several sessions past. The increased length may be attributed mainly to two reasons: first. the tardiness in the presentation of the Ministerial Reports, an occurrence which ought not to be repeated, when no valid excuse can be assigned for it; and secondly to the contest between the Lower House and the Minister of Finance. Had this event not occurred, the session would have been at least 20 days shorter. Notwithstanding the increased length, the expense of this Legislature will probably but little exceed that of 1860. The following is a list of the laws passed during the late session, numbering thirty-

1. Joint Resolution appropriating \$6,000 for expenses of th Legislature.

An Act to amend part 6 of Section 517, of the Civil Code

 An Act to abolish punishment of pregnant women.
 An Act to amend law relating to Juries and Jury trials. 6. An Act to amend an Act preventing married

from deserting one another.
7. An Act to amend Article XLII of the Civil Code—Gar: 8. An Act to amend Section 789 of the Civil Code. 9. An Act to amend Section 1,035 of the Civil Code, exempt ing certain property from levy under execution.

10. An Act to provide for deposit of certain moneys in the Public Treasury.

11. An Act to transfer of the duties of Sheriff of Oahu to Man

12. An Act to appoint an Attorney General, 3. An Act to regulate the powers and duties of the secon Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

14. An Act to amend Section 796 Civil Code, (Elections.)

15. An Act to amend Chapter XIV of Civil Code relating to

pay of Circuit Court Judges.

16. An Act to promote Inter-Island Navigation. 17. An Act to confer certain privileges upon the Sugar Refin-

ery Company.

18. An Act to provide for the endowment of Scholarships i Oahu College.

19. An Act to provide for the perpetuation of testimony. 20. An Act to encourage a trans-pacific line of Steamers.

 An Act to prevent the spread of disease among sheep.
 An Act to amend Section 720 of the Civil Code relating to the pay of School Treasurer. 23. An Act relating to Criminal conversation and seduction. 24. An Act to provide for separation of sexes in Governmen 25. An Act to amend Section 237 of the Civil Code in relation

26. An Act to establish an Insane Asylum . 26. An Act to amend the existing laws relating to the

29. An Act in regard to the qualifications of Public Officers, 30. An Act to provide for the appointment of Boundary Com 31. An Act to authorize the loan of \$100,000.

32. An Act for vending Wines, Ale, and spirituous liquors. 33. Amendments of the Constitution 35. Joint Resolution for the relief of Ira Richardson. This list embraces no very important measures,

lished on the first page, be viewed as such. The section providing a property qualification of \$250 in members of the Lower House, is a new feature in our system of government, yet one which we think can only result in exerting a healthful influence in the selection of intelligent men for that branch of the Legislature, who have interests at stake in the laws that may be made. The amount fixed on is small, but sufficiently large to make the trial or to initiate the system. An increase of the sum, should it be found desirable, can more readily be made when that body is composed of men already possessed of the requi-

There has been much said flate regarding the Constitution, and efforts made on the part of somebody to set it aside. These rumors have been set affoat solely by the Polynesian, which some well-meaning persons have thought to be the oracle of the King, and by inference supposing the rumors well grounded, have felt much uneasiness. But so far from this being a fact, not one word or an act has ever emanated from our Sovereign, which can by any possibility be construed as opposed to the Constitution; while on the contrary, the conduct of the King, in every thing bearing on this instrument, has been uniformly such as can only draw forth the respect and praise of his people. The same may be said of each of the chiefs. The foreign members of the late Cabinet, however, have often expressed themselves bitterly opposed to the Constitution, and would gladly see it set aside, be cause they are foreigners, and because it does not square with their fancies. But the sole opposition to our present Constitution can be traced no farther than the Polynesian, which reflects the idiosyncracies of a defunct ministry, and which, if we may judge from its teachings, would gladly see the Constitution abolished, and the throne itself made the theater of anarchy

By the mass of the people-aye, King, chiefs and people-the Constitution is viewed as the Magna Charta of the Hawaiian people, the pledge of peace and prosperity; and the one that dares to violate it, be he minister, editor or commoner, will be held up to public gaze as a traitor to his King and his country. All admit that the Constitution is not perfect, no import- most valuable improvements should be incurred ant public document ever was, and all agree that with great caution, and liquidated with as much the changes in the progress of the nation require dispatch as a proper regard for the resources of modifications in that instrument. The more rapid My people will permit.

The amendments of the Constitution which he advance of the people, the more frequent the changes called for. These, as time passes fusion in the Government, by establishing a and developes their necessity, will be made: and more fixed rule of inheritance of the Crown. none will be more willing to make them than the representatives of a people who derive so many

blessings from it. was made up in part of new members, who had never before been engaged in legislative work, it has proved itself one of the most orderly and decorous bodies that have ever convened here. and a perfect contrast to the House of Nobles, where Quaker customs of wearing hats in session, and bar-room tactics of sitting with heels on the desk and smoking Havana, long-nines or Meerschaums, appeared to be among the "standing rules." With perhaps one or two exceptions, the members of the lower House have conducted themselves during the session with honorable credit to themselves. Nor has the time of the House been consumed, as in former years, with

some that the election of the Oahu delegation on purely religious issues, might hinder the passage of useful laws; but on the contrary, none have conducted with more disinterestedness or sought with more cordiality the enactment of every wholesome measure than the delegation

If for no other reason, the representatives deerve the thanks of the country for passing a bill of supplies which will be met by the ordipary income of the treasury. The reform which has been effected at this session will be more apparent if we contrast it with former years The amount voted for each of the two coming years is \$244,000, whereas the average voted by the Legislature during the past eight years for each year has been nearly \$400,000. This change has been effected only by the firm determination of the lower House to bring the bill within the estimated receipts.

There never has been a body of Representaives which have returned home from their work with more credit than those of this session. It is customary for some to cry down and traduce them without real cause, and the Polynesian, and its echo the Pakipika, have sought during the past few weeks to cast disrepute on them, but this is to be expected of journals conducted by foreigners who have not any real sympathy with the people among whom they live. The Representatives may rest assured their acts will meet opular approval and bear the test of time, which is the truest of all judges. They had a difficult task before them, when they undertook to bring the ministry to a sense of its responsibility -especially a minister who is said to have declared that no efforts to straighten him or remove him could be successful. The task became the more difficult on account of there being no precedent to guide them in the matter, and whatever was the result of their action was to become a precedent for all future time.

The great lesson taught by this Legislature is the RESPONSIBILITY OF MINISTERS TO THE PEO-PLE. This has for centuries been the practice and rule in England and in most other countries, where the ministry retire the moment they cease to obey or coincide with the people, who are in reality the source of their power, though appointed by the Sovereign. But heretofore no rule has prevailed here, owing doubtless to the fact that our system of government has hardly become developed. If the responsibility of public officers to the representatives of the people has been demonstrated and established by this session's work, it is worth all and more than it has cost. Not merely Ministers, but judges and all other officers must now bear in mind that they are directly accountable to the people, as in other monarchical governments, for their official conduct. The result will be beneficial in excluding from public service men of questionable character and ability, and in securing upright, industrious and capable public officers. If this result follows the action of the Representatives, all must concede that they have done a good work, and that this body is one of the bulwarks of Hawaiian Freedom.

There appears to be a necessity for an increase in the number of Nobles. Owing to death, or other causes the number of Nobles generally present during the late session has not been more than ten. An old proverb says that in a multitude of councillors there is wisdoma truism that applies most forcibly to this legislative body. As it now is, the number is so slim that it is often difficult to gather a quorum, and when there is one, the attendance is so small that the tendency is towards indecorum and disorder, while the members are not apt to feel the necessity of preserving the dignity belonging to them, arising from the paucity of members. This has been a topic of frequent remark by visitors there, and we are sure it is felt by His Majesty the King and by the Nobles themselves. We are aware that the material from which new Nobles can be made is very sparse, but still the best that the nation affords should be taken. Such men as G. W. Lilikalani of Kauai, S. Kipi of Hilo, W. H. Kaauwai of Maui, M. Kuaea of Oahu, and perhaps others equally qualified among the natives, would be an acquisition to the House of Nobles, and tend to cement and strengthen the government, giving wisdom to its legislation; and from among foreigners, Dr. G. P. Judd, G. M. Robertson, E. O. Hall and Wm. Webster. We feel that His Majesty can in no other way so readily promote the real welfare of his people, as by the appointment of intelligent natives and foreigners to be

HIS MAJESTY'S SPEECH

Proroguing the Legislature of 1862. Delivered by Royal Commission-H. Ex. M. KEKUANAOA, Governor of Oahu, and Chief Justice Allen, Chancellor of the Kingdom.) NOBLES AND REPRESENTATIVES :- Your Joint ommittee have announced to me that your House have discharged all the duties which you regard as essential to the administration of my Government for the ensuing biennial period.

The duty of retrenchment of expenditures has been especially imposed upon you at this session; and after a careful interchange of opinions, and in the exercise of a liberal judgment, you have passed a bill of appropriations, which, I trust, will enable the Executive to sustain the honor and efficiency of my Government, by an expenditure not exceeding its receipts. It is unquestionably a sound principle, that provision for its current expenses should always be made. A debt on this account should never be imposed or our su ressors. Indeed a public debt for the

The amendments of the Constitution which you have adopted may prevent anarchy and con-Experience has shown that it controls legislation upon some subjects, in which the public interest requires some change. Your amendments have remedied this embarrassment to some extent. Although the late House of Representatives The Constitution was adopted under somewhat peculiar circumstances, and will undoubtedly need amendments from the influence of time and events upon the affairs of my Kingdom; but, I trust, that every modification will be made with a careful judgment.

For the liberality which you have manifested by the provision made for Myself and My Family, I thank you. It is in accordance with the same spirit which has always actuated the Representatives of my People. I congratulate you upon the increasing devel-

opement of the resources of my Kingdom, and I trust that your legislation will aid in this great! purpose, and contribute to the general prosperity Nobles and Representatives: In taking leave of you, and, as I announce the Prorogation of this Session of the Legislature, it is my painful class has proved a benefit. It was thought by tion, and the hearts of the People, we doubt not, will be touched like Our own. We trust in a Merciful God to restore him, if, in His wisdom it is best, and to sustain us in this our hour of

#### NOTES OF THE WEEK.

The British war steamer Charybdis was under orders to sail at 6 A. M., on Tuesday. Promptly at 6 o'clock, the anchor was weighed, and the ship in charge of Pilot James, quietly turned about and steamed out of the harbor as gracefully as anything could be done. A prettier sight we have never witnessed. Capt. Keane is evidently a strict disciplinarian, as the promptness of the ves- Mr. Synge stood sponsor " for the late Prince Con sel's movements showed. At 64 she was safely over the bar, and having discharged her pilot, squared away for Tahiti. She will also visit Pitcairn's Island, and then proceed to Valparaiso. She is one of the finest as well as the most recently built vessels in the English navy, and her officers and men think there is nothing affoat like the Charybdis. " England, home and beauty," is the motto engraved on her wheel, and which inspires her men like a talis-

NAVAL -- H. B. Majesty's steam frigate Termagant, arrived on Friday last, 42 days from Panama, bringing as passengers the newly-appointed British Commissioner and Consul General Wm. F. Synge and family. The following is a list of her

Captain .- ROBT. HALL. Lieutenants .- G. D. Fitzroy, R. H. Napier, H. C. Best. Hon. R. C. Cadogan Lieutenant Marines .- Wm. H. V. Tom. Surgeon .- Jas. C. Walsh. Paymaster-Chas. Royle. Chief Engineer.—Jno. Sanders. Sub-Lieutenants.—C. E. Pease, C. F. Johnson. Assistant Surgeon .- J. E. Georges, Second Master -Jpo. Edwards. Assistant Paymaster .-- W. S. Whittaker Midshipman .- A. I. Booth. Master's Assistant .- Jno. Aylen Clerk.—J. C. Sabben. Assistant Clerk.—W. A. Kilner. Engineers.—W. Curtin, W. Brown. Assistant Engineer .- G. Legate-Gunners .- Thos. Westfoot, Wm. Metters. Boatswain .- Jno. Harris. Carpenter .- Fredk. Avery.

The deep interest taken by the public in the young Prince, was forcibly shown in the closing of all stores, and an entire suspension of all business immediately on the announcement of his death on Wednesday; a stillness and gloom appeared to possess the city. H. B. M.'s ship Termagant fired a Royal minute salute, and she, as also the other ships in port, wore their colors at half-mast. Passing the engine house of Hawaii No. 4, of which the Prince was a member, we noticed it draped heavily in mourning, as were also the engine, hose-cart, and the little chair in which he rode during the firemen's parade a few months ago. The other engine-houses were also dressed in mourning. No arrangements have been made for the funeral, and it will probably not take place for some days.

A comet has been in sight during the past few evenings, visible in the North-west. It was first seen on the evening of the 18th, directly west of the North star. As observed about 8 o'clock, P. M., it is ascending at an angle of about 40 degrees above the horizon, and appears to be moving nearly on a parallel with the sun's apparent orbit. The " tail " is very indistinct, but seems to be gaining in brightness and length. It is difficult to say whether it is approaching or receding from the sun, so nearly parallel is its course, but it is probably approaching it, and a few nights may show it more distinctly.

ILLUSTRATED HAWAIIAN PAPER .- The Kuokoa has war in America, from engravings copied from Harper's Weekly. As might be expected, the natives are quite carried away with the illustrations and with the glowing accounts accompanying them. The introduction of such pictures for native papers forms a new era, and we are happy to learn that they appreciate their value and benefits.

We are under special obligations to Capt. Simmons of the War Hawk for late papers, and also to Messrs, McRuer and Merrill and C. W. Brooks & Co. of San Francisco, for like favors.

## NOTICE!

"PACIFIC ENGINE COMPANY NO. 3" will be held THIS EVENING, (Thursday,) at the Rooms of Mechanic Engine Co. No. 2, at 71 o'clock. A full attendance is THOS. G. THRUM,

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